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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2004, having a one-month shortened statutory time set to expire on June 18, 2004, please enter the Amendments below and consider the following Remarks. With regard to the amendments below, for the Examiner's convenience a complete set of claims now pending is provided, on the understanding that the amendments filed on July 30, 2003 have been entered. Thus, the below amendments are further to those submitted on July 30, 2003.